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From: [Maggie Wilson](#)
To: ["Alsup, Thomas"](#); ["Wittenberg, Carl"](#); ["Will Sullivan"](#); [Bell, Dana](#)
Bcc: [Nicholas Edwards](#); [Chris Salita](#); [Kelly Young](#); [Priscilla Wainwright](#)
Subject: Request to Withdraw Exceptions RFP #32901-31202
Date: Thursday, June 4, 2020 11:19:00 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)
Importance: High

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The State respectfully requests that the Respondent withdraw the proposed exceptions to the mandatory requirements as failure to do so will render the proposal non-responsive and the proposal will subsequently be rejected by the State.

Please provide a written response withdrawing the proposed exceptions and indicate your willingness to honor the Mandatory Requirements as outlined in the RFP no later than 12:00pm CST on 6/5. Your prompt response to the State's request is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully,



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Cc: [Alsup, Thomas](#); [Wittenberg, Carl](#); [Sullivan, Will](#)
Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Request to Withdraw Exceptions RFP #32901-31202
Date: Friday, June 5, 2020 8:10:43 AM
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Ms. Wilson,

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Thanks,
Dana

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To: Alsup, Thomas <Thomas.Alsup@corizonhealth.com>; Wittenberg, Carl <Carl.Wittenberg@corizonhealth.com>; Sullivan, Will <Will.Sullivan@corizonhealth.com>; Bell, Dana <Dana.Bell@corizonhealth.com>
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Subject: RE: Request to Withdraw Exceptions RFP #32901-31202
Date: Friday, June 5, 2020 3:35:00 PM
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Good Afternoon,

Thank you for your response. The State will not issue an extension at this time and will proceed with the current procurement.

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To: Maggie Wilson <Maggie.Wilson@tn.gov>

Subject: FW: Contract

Date: Thu, 13 Aug 2020 14:30:10 +0000

Importance: Normal

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Let's discuss after our meeting with Zach.



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Subject: FW: Contract

So it begins....was the schedule of events updated by chance?

On a side note I really don't have patience for them being whiny when they didn't bother protesting.



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Subject: Re: Contract

I guess what is strange to the other vendors who bid on the RFP is:

1. The signed contract was due on 31July2020
2. The bond was due on 04Aug2020

Are there variances allowed in that process?

Thanks

Will

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